

THE DAILY APPEAL

H. R. Nichols.....Editor.

Tuesday Morning, Feb. 15, 1870.

ALANSON WALKER NIGHTINGILL.

The good friend and esteemed citizen whose name appears above is dead. He died between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock on the night of Saturday last, the 12th inst. His illness (consumption) was of so long duration and his failing so marked of late that his friends were not surprised when his demise was announced. He died in the arms of his brother, Mr. Gideon R. Nightingill, who arrived here on the 7th inst. to be near him in his last moments. It is proper that we should furnish forth some outline of our dead friend's history. It is beyond the power of our pen to do justice to the admirable traits of his character.

Alanson W. Nightingill was born in Ashland county, Ohio, on the 17th of May, 1826. When a lad he and his brother worked with their father at the painter's trade, in the pursuit of which "Lance" achieved in after years a much more than ordinary skill. "Lance" and "Gid" were among the "49ers" who came to California across the Great Plains. The two brothers were among the pioneers of Marysville, of which city the deceased was elected Chief Engineer in 1856. The same year he was elected to the office of City Marshal. He filled both of these positions with great ability. Indeed he was fitted for such business as demanded activity combined with sagacity, courage and straightforward integrity. He never faltered for one moment from any danger, never shirked any responsibility, however serious. His quarrels were always in behalf of his friends—and of these he had many more than the majority of men can claim.

Lance went to Fraser River in May, 1858, underwent terrible perils and hardships while there, prospecting and exploring. He was twice reported dead by letters from that country. He returned from there in the Autumn of 1859; and he came to Nevada in the Spring of 1860. He immediately after coming here organized a company of thirty-eight mounted men under the name of The Truckee Rangers; and with this command he participated in the Indian fights of that year, serving at one time under Col. Jack Hays, and subsequently making an expedition far into the then unknown Black Rock country. He discovered Surprise Valley while on this Indian hunt. He subsequently settled in Humboldt county and was appointed its Sheriff by Territorial Governor Nye. He organized the first Republican Convention held in that county; and in the Fall of 1864 he was nominated to the office of State Controller to which he was elected for a term of two years. It was late in the incumbency of this office that he was attacked by an acute inflammation of the lungs, from the effects of which disorder the pulmonary affection which caused his death undoubtedly proceeded. He was appointed, upon the death of the late T. G. Smith, Sheriff of Ormsby county. Failing health induced him to resign this office; and it was the last he ever held.

Lance Nightingill was a remarkable man. Time was when he was without many superiors for manly beauty, symmetry of figure, and the graceful activity which accompanies those excellent gifts. He was skilled in all manly sports; was as fleet of foot as a deer; could out-swim all his companions; and was one of the best field shots in the country. He was the most open-hearted and open handed of men; and we might relate a dozen stories illustrative of his cool nerve and unflinching courage. He once wrenched a pistol out of the murderer, Sam. Brown's hand when Brown was about to kill a prostrate man with whom he had had a petty quarrel; and Lance gave that blood thirsty villain one meaning look and he cowered like a dog under the eye of his master. By consummate coolness and skill Lance arrested Jim Webster, the notorious highwayman. His acts of heroism are almost numberless.

We naturally turn to the deathbed of such a man to see how he bore up un-

der the approach of the Dread Destroyer. He looked upon his sure approach with all the calmness and fearlessness of his old time courage. The bravery in his heart was the last emotion that expired. He set his house in order with wonderful precision and rare thoughtfulness for his relatives and friends. He talked of coming death and of his burial as calmly and with as little shirking as he would have arranged an ordinary incident of health. He professed no religious convictions, saying that he could not do so honestly and honorably. He felt that it would be unmanly for him to ask for that Grace upon his sickbed that he had never sought in health. If honor and frankness and clear conscience are, as we believe them to be, the underlying, cardinal elements of a true Christian faith and character, our friend died a Christian.

He leaves a deeply bereaved wife to whom he had been but a short time married. Some burial forms were observed in the Episcopal Church here. His remains were yesterday taken to Marysville, where they will be buried beside those of his brother's little son who died several years since.

"Green grow the turf above thee,
Friend of my better days:
None knew thee but to love thee;
None named thee but to praise."

H. R. M.

DR. LIVINGSTONE.—The New York Tribune of February 3d, speaking of the reported death of this traveler, says:

Dr. David Livingstone is reported to have been burned in Africa as a wizard, for such was the character he has long borne here. We could, in some respects, have better spared Africa than Livingstone. His was a courage of the most exalted order, for it stood the test of loneliest isolation and wildest solitude and absolute self-exile from the company of the civilized and the humane. He was a new Greatheart in the strangest Pilgrim's Progress which these latter days have known. Heroic piety sustained him living and dying, in all that sublime mission which one unaided but not inspired man undertook for the sake of God and his fellows. To be burnt as a wizard was not the fate which mankind would have imagined for such a benefactor as Livingstone; but it crowned with sacred fire and recommended to Heaven the life-long sacrifice of a man whom the world will claim among its martyrs. We hope that the present news may prove as untrue as a previous report of Livingstone's death. It does not, however, reach us in a shape that we are now able to question.

PROFIT FROM CHICKENS.—"D. R. T." of Providence, R. I., sends the following statement of his profit from keeping chickens, in which he considers he has done well, although he has not kept a strict account of expenditures and receipts:

The past season, I had chickens hatched May 13th. They laid September 25th, and they have been laying ever since, without showing any inclination to set. I have at present fourteen hens and pullets and one cock. Three of the pullets are but half grown, leaving but eleven to do the laying. During the month of December they laid 151 eggs. The most they laid any day was nine—on Christmas. A number of days I got eight. The eggs, at prices received for those I sold would have brought me \$6 57. I have some refuse from the table, and beside that my whole expense for keeping was but \$1 32—leaving a net profit of \$5 25. I live in the city, and the hens have a range of one small unoccupied lot.

GEORGE TUFFY.—The Humboldt delegation of the R-republican party, we learn, will be instructed to urge the nomination of George Tuffy, of Carson, for State Treasurer. If he should be elected, burglars might break in and pack off the State funds but they could not pack off the State Treasurer, neither dead nor alive. We fear, however, he will get "shucked" out of it, and loose the "bin and gibbets."—Humboldt Register.

Tuffy would undoubtedly add great weight to the ticket. Moreover, if elected, he would oppose himself to any speculations upon the Treasury with a sternness of aspect that would be invulnerable.

TERRIBLE STEAMBOAT DISASTER.—On the 10th inst. the steamer Maggie Hayes from New Orleans to Pittsburg blew up near Helena, Ark., and the Captain, assistant engineer and eight deck hands were killed. All the passengers escaped unhurt.

THE ASSASSIN of Isaac Greenwood, the American who was murdered in the streets of Havana, has been arrested. He is a sergeant of Spanish volunteers. He will be tried by court martial.

GOVERNOR HAYES has shown a bit of nerve. He has had the pluck and honesty to veto the Long Primer Bill.

SIGNIFICANT.—A Bill has passed the Senate to enlarge the Capitol grounds at Washington. This would seem to mean that the Senate is opposed to the removal scheme.

A PLOT against Emperor Napoleon's life has been discovered in Paris. Many persons have been arrested in consequence. They were all found to be armed.

MUTE MUSICIANS.—The great sensation of a new comic opera in Paris is made by a chorus of mutes. The mutes of a Turkish seraglio are ranged on the stage, expressing with their lips sounds they do not sing. At certain movements, upon a very high note given out by all the violins together, the silent choristers extend their arms with a movement said to be irresistibly laughable.

PATENTS FOR LAND.—The following patents for land, are now in the United States Land Office at Carson City, and ready for delivery, viz:

No. 13 Henry A. Young,
" 15 Loran A. Scott,
" 16 Monroe D. Garner,
" 25 Benjamin B. Bingham,
" 27 Matson P. Sturtevant,
" 28 Nicholas T. Veeder,
" 29 Albion K. Lamb,
" 30 Edwin S. Keene,
" 31 William J. Thomas,
" 32 A. H. Langton,
" 37 Thomas Mallett,
" 53 Jemima Perkins,
" 59 Daniel P. Elson,
" 61 Fountain Lawrence,
" 62 Hiram H. Hurley,
" 67 Griffith P. Jones,
" 89 Martin V. Higgins,
" 93 Edwin R. Cary,
" 96 Richard Sides,
" 99 Wm. M. Dobie,
" 106 Elijah M. Gregory,
" 111 Perry Enevich,
" 128 Henry Haywood,
" 134 Gardner Woodward,
" 136 Nicholas Ambrosia,
" 147 Owen Morris,
" 150 John Lamar,
" 153 Thomas S. Thompson,
" 154 John Kremen,
" 162 John Howard,
" 164 John C. Hill,
" 181 Nial L. Hamilton,
" 179 James J. Meder,
" 182 Joel C. Eastman,
" 183 Philo Plansburg,
" 196 Rufus Walton,
" 199 Joseph Kirk,
" 203 Robert Steele,
" 205 Wm. Steele,
" 206 Geo. Hunt,
" 208 Henry H. Custer,
" 209 Thomas J. Knott,
" 210 Samuel Symons,
" 221 Wm. J. Sameders,
" 223 Jno. K. Dollison,
" 224 Wm. A. Campbell,
" 225 Hubert Tarrott,
" 226 Alex. W. Cochran,
" 227 William Chubb,
" 236 Henry S. Savage,
" 237 Dennis Countryman,
" 242 Joseph D. Reayburn,
" 248 Wm. Allen,
" 261 James Fee,
" 269 Frederick Marsall,
" 272 Ransom Jones,
" 275 Dallas A. Kneass,
" 276 Joseph Seger,
" 278 Jas. N. Barton,
" 281 Chas. H. Lane,
" 282 William Henry,
" 284 Maurice Straws,
" 287 Thos. H. Barrett,
" 289 Jas. H. Moraty,
" 291 Warren Howard,
" 292 Levi Geer,
" 294 John Green,
" 295 August Frederick Dressler,
" 297 Lewis Countryman,
" 298 Peter Countryman,
" 299 Henry C. Crippen,
" 303 Chas. T. Sharp,
" 306 Andrew J. Drennan,
" 310 David J. Jones,
" 311 Jno. L. Carey,
" 315 Jno. Tucke,
" 321 Jno. S. Dickey,
" 322 Augustus E. Stevens,
" 323 Wm. S. O'Conner,
" 324 Jeremiah Murphy,
" 326 Josiah C. Tuck,
" 328 Chas. C. Niedig,
" 329 Sebbens Collamore,
" 330 Heskiah P. Mason,
" 331 Jno. E. Jones,
" 332 Geo. P. Harding,
" 334 Riley Y. Brown,
" 338 Robert A. Campbell,
" 343 James Madison,
" 344 Jacob S. Sellers,
" 345 Jas. A. Ferguson,
" 346 Michael Fogarty,
" 347 Robt. F. Riddle,
" 348 Jessie L. Winters,
" 349 Wm. Miller,
" 350 Sidney C. Moody,
" 351 Jno. W. Gray,
" 355 Jno. Parkin,
" 359 Joseph Kelly,
" 363 Wm. E. Shimmmin,
" 366 John P. Elliot,
" 367 Elizabeth A. Sesieur,
" 372 Francis Helling,
" 373 Ed. D. Sweeney,
" 376 Geo. M. Eaton,
" 382 David Walley,
" 385 Jessie R. Crookshanks,
" 387 Wm. H. Snyder,
" 388 Peter Johnson,
" 389 Francis A. Cox,
" 391 Eliasha Mallory,
" 392 James O. Williams,
" 393 Alfred Moyes,
" 395 James O. Gregory,
" 398 Charles N. Harris,
" 399 William Coffey,
" 403 Jerry G. Bladell,
" 404 Charles Wiggins,
" 405 Milton J. Smith,
" 406 Laurent Gauthier,
" 407 Charles W. Collins,
" 408 James W. Spurgeon,
" 410 James Clark,
" 411 Martha C. Kinney,
" 412 Charles C. Gates,
" 417 James W. Holbrook,
" 418 Ferdinand Musmer,
" 420 Rodney Aldrich,
" 421 John Gillson,
" 422 William Ganong,
" 423 John Musson,
" 428 George W. Mills,
" 429 John H. Eaton,

" 434 Christ Haller,
" 435 James Merritt,
" 436 Augustus W. Barrill,
" 437 John S. Neel,
" 438 George W. Shearer,
" 439 John W. Shearer,
" 447 Thomas Byrnes,
" 448 John Byrnes,
" 449 Conrad Hickey,
" 450 Aaron Denio,
" 452 Sylvester B. Warden,
" 453 John M. Moore.

Also Patents for Military Bounty Land

Warrants, Act of 1855:
No. 29,907 Josiah S. Cover,
" 30,024 Charles E. Smith,
" 70,066 William H. Winters,
" 71,732 Seth L. Carpenter,
" 80,588 Joseph D. Reayburn,
" 100,825 Gilman N. Folsom,
" 101,321 Elijah P. Tubbs,
" 101,468 Harlan P. Noyes,
" 101,527 Isacher W. Duncan,
" 101,546 Thomas B. Howe,
" 102,383 Hugo Herckedraht,
" 192,390 George Shaffer,
" 102,951 Seth C. Clark.

Parties holding duplicate Receiver's receipts for any of the foregoing patents, can receive the same by presenting said receipts, or will receive them by mail by sending the duplicate receipts with stamps to pay postage, to the United States Land Office, at Carson City.

BORN

In Carson, February 15, 1870, to the wife of Patrick Brennan, a son.

PAY YOUR TAXES!

ON ALL DELINQUENT TAXES, FOR THE years 1867, 1868, and 1869, in and for Ormsby County, Nevada, not paid on or before the 19th instant, suits will then be commenced POSITIVELY. THOMAS WELLS, District Attorney.

Carson City, February 14, 1870.

PRIVATE BOARDING AND LODGING.

DESIRABLE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR Boarders and Lodgers can be obtained at the house on

Fourth Street, West of Carson,

Known as the Winnie House.
Carson, February 8th, 1870.

FRUITS, NUTS, FISH, MEATS, ETC.

GEORGE ZENOVICH'S

MARKET STILL CONTINUES TO BE THE best place in the State of Nevada for the sale of everything in the way of the daily provisions indicated in the heading. Call and examine

CANDIES AND FRUITS.

FRESH FISH EVERY DAY!

And a constant supply of California, Nevada and Sandwich Island Vegetables.
Carson, December 29th, 1869. if

ROBERT B. SHARP, DENTIST.

ORMSBY HOUSE, NEXT DOOR TO POSTOFFICE CARSON STREET, CARSON CITY.



HAS JUST received a fine lot of DENTISTS MATERIAL Direct from the Manufacturer, at Philadelphia, and offers his services to the people of this place and vicinity. Good work warranted at reasonable prices Carson, February 7, 1870. im

JEWELRY.

Of the Latest and Most Beautiful Patterns!

Watches, Most Approved Make and Finish! Practical Jeweler, Watchmaker, and Engraver.

All the various varieties of New and Fashionable Jewelry, in the greatest abundance, and of the best quality.

Havana Cigars.

CHARLES W. FRIEND, Carson Street, near the County Building.

Feb. 1, 1870.

CHESTNUTS!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS A LARGE LOT of

FRESH CHESTNUTS,

Which he has just received per Pacific Railroad. He offers them for sale at the low price of

30 CENTS PER POUND!

These Nuts are in prime condition for eating or planting.

JOSEPH ROSENSTOCK, Carson street. February 8th, 1870.

FOR SALE.

1,000 THREE YEAR OLD COTTONWOOD Trees, at 50 Cents each, better rooted and larger trees than have been sold heretofore for \$1. Also, a large lot of

FRUIT TREES.

raised in this County: 50 Five Year Old Plum and Peach Trees, of choice variety. These trees bore fruit last year, and every citizen of Carson can testify to the quality.

Rose Bushes and Geraniums

of choice variety for sale. ROBERT B. SHARP. Carson, February 7, 1870. im

PLANS SPECIFICATIONS.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE erection of a building for the Nevada Orphans Home, will be received at the Office of the Board of Directors, at Carson City, up to and including

Monday, February 21st, 1870

Together with Estimates of the Cost of the Building. Said building to be of sufficient capacity to accommodate Thirty Orphans, and the necessary attendants of the institution.

Cost of Building not to exceed \$9,000. Estimates to specify cost in Stone, Brick, and Wood. By order of the Board of Directors, THADDORE A. HALE, Secretary.

Carson City, February 9, 1870. td

Enterprise copy and send bill to Secretary.

GRAND BALL!

A GRAND BALL

WILL BE GIVEN UNDER THE AUSPICES

—OF THE—

NONPAREIL SOCIAL CLUB.

—AT—

MOORE & PARKER'S NEW THEATER HALL.

—IN—

CARSON CITY,

—ON—

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY,

FEBRUARY 22d, 1870.

THE PROCEEDS TO BE APPLIED

—TO THE—

PURCHASING OF A LIBRARY

FOR THE CLUB.

TICKETS, : : : \$2.50

To be had at the principal Business Houses in the City.

Carson, February 7th, 1870.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN ACCORDANCE with an Act entitled "An Act to Provide for the Building of a State Capitol at Carson City," approved February 23d, 1869, the Board of State Capitol Building Commissioners will receive Draughts, Plans and Specifications for a State Capitol Building.

The Building is intended to accommodate the State Officers and Legislature—the Assembly not to exceed fifty members, and the senate twenty five. The Wall material of said building shall be stone, and will be furnished by the State of Nevada, from its quarry at the State Prison. The entire cost of said building, when completed (excluding the stone furnished by the State of Nevada), shall not exceed one Hundred Thousand Dollars. Said draughts, plans and specifications will be received by said Board up to

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1870. 10 o'clock A. M.,

At which time they will be examined, and such plan adopted as will be deemed best—the said Board reserving the right to reject any or all plans furnished.

The sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250 00) will be paid to the person or persons presenting a plan which is favorably passed upon by said Board of Commissioners.

All plans furnished are required to come within the provision of the above named Act; to be directed to "The Board of Capitol Building Commissioners, at Carson City, Nevada," and to be marked "Plan and Specifications for Capitol Building."

J. S. HAZLETT, President. F. STADTMULLER, Secretary. Carson City, Nev., January 21st, 1870. td

TO THE LADIES.

DRY GOODS,

FANCY GOODS,

SHOES,

—OF—

THE LATEST STYLES,

RECEIVED

EVERY OTHER DAY,

DIRECT

FROM THE EAST,

—AT THE—

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES!

—BY—

OLCOVICH BROS.

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Ladies are Respectfully Invited. 55

November 30, 1869. if